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## Dear Sir/Madam:

To comply with 37 CFR §1.97 and §1.98, Applicants submit the enclosed Form PTO-1449 and copies of all documents listed on that form.

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Applicants request early and favorable consideration.

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The Examiner is requested to call the undersigned if any questions arise that can be addressed over the phone to expedite examination of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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